

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of

Applicants : Luan Tran  
Serial No. : 10/612,233  
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Title : **SELECTIVE POLYSILICON STUD GROWTH**  
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Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL**

This paper is being filed in response to the final Office Action mailed November 28, 2006. Reconsideration of the present application is respectfully requested in light of the amendments and remarks below, which include, in order of appearance, on separate sheets:

- Amendments to the Claims; and
- Remarks.

Entry of the amendment is respectfully requested, as it is believed to place the application in condition for allowance, or at least reduce the number of issues for appeal. No new issues have been raised.